

GOVERNMENT OF ANDHRA PRADESH
ABSTRACT

Public Servants- Allegations of Corruption and Misappropriation of Government funds against the officials of Revenue Department and Horticulture Department, Itchapuram Mandal, Srikakulam Dist-Waiver of Rs.1,72,235/- paid to the ineligible farmers and dropping of further action against the Officials involved-Orders issued.

REVENUE (VIG.II) DEPARTMENT

G.O.Ms.No.1237

Dated:27.10.2008
Read the following

- 1.The D.G, ACB, Hyderabad Rc.No.107/RCO-VSK/2000
Dt.22.02.2006.
- 2.Govt.Memo.No.14172/Vig.II (1)/2006-1,dt.24.04.2006
- 3.Govt.Memo.No.14172/Vig.II (1)/2006-3,dt.24.04.2006
- 4.G.O.Ms.No.577 Rev (Vig.II) Dept, dt.20.05.2006
- 5.G.O.Ms.No.578 Rev (Vig.II) Dept, dt.20.05.2006
- 6.G.O.Ms.No.579 Rev (Vig.II) Dept, dt.20.05.2006
- 7.Sri Naresh Kumar Agarwal,M.L.A, Itchapuram constituency representation to the Hon'ble C.M,A.P,Hyderabad dt.25.3.08

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad vide his final report 1st read above has informed that misappropriation of Govt., funds were taken place in payment of compensation to the cyclone victims during the year, 1999 in Srikakulam district by the following officials of Revenue Department and Horticulture Department of Itchapuram Mandal, Srikakulam district and requested to issue Prosecution orders against the officers involved besides recovery of excess amount paid to the ineligible beneficiaries.

- 1.Sri Upendra Ananda Bhaskara Rao,M.R.O (Retd). Itchapuram Mandal.(Expired)
 - 2.Sri Akaluri Ramesh Kumar Rao, Horticulture Officer,
 - 3.Sri Rajam, Sanapala Domburu, Horticulture Sub-Assistant.
 - 4.Pedada Simhachalam, Additional Revenue Inspector,
 - 5.Ratnala Satyanarayana Chowdari, VAO, Kothari,
 - 6.Pyla Gurunadha Reddy, VAO, Dharmapuram, Itchapuram Mandal.
2. Govt., vide Memo.2nd read above, have accorded permission to the Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad to prosecute Sri Upendra Ananda Bhaskara Rao,M.R.O (Retd). Itchapuram Mandal and also for the following Revenue officials vide G.Os 4,5 and 6th read above.
- 1.Pedada Simhachalam, Additional Revenue Inspector,
 - 2.Ratnala Satyanarayana Chowdari, VAO, Kothari,
 - 3.Pyla Gurunadha Reddy, VAO, Dharmapuram, Itchapuram Mandal.
3. Government vide Memo 3rd read above have also issued orders to the Collector, Srikakulam District to recover the excess amount paid to the ineligible persons.
3. Sri Naresh Kumar Agarwal (Lallu), Ichapuram – MLA, vide his representation 7th read above, has submitted that the super cyclone occurred in the year 1999 in Srikakulam Dist. Due to that effect Kaviti and Ichampurm Mandals coconut topes and cashew topes were fully damaged and trees are fallen. The Dist Collector, Srikakulam instructed the

MRO, Ichapuram to recover the excess amount (compensation) from 54 farmers of Purnatakam and Kotari village of Ichapuram Mandal and Bhyripuram villagers of Kaviti Mandal. Out of Rs.1,71,235/- paid excess by the team an amount of Rs.70,406/- have recovered from 39 farmers of Purnatakam villagers of Ichapuram Mandal and an amount of Rs. 1,00,829/- have to be recovered from 15 farmers of Bhyripuram village of Kaviti Mandal. The said amount was irregularly paid by the team consisting of 5 Govt employees and they were arrested by the ACB and the case is still pending. After super cyclone, the farmers are raised coconut plantation but the coconut plants are effected by Yerranalli, Nallamatti and other diseases due to that the yielding is very down and the size of the coconut also decreased simultaneously the rates are down. The ryots in Uddanam area are involved fully in debts and at present they are not able to repay the excess amount taken. The 54 farmers are small farmers and having below Ac.2.50 cents of Dry Land. In view of the pathetic conditions of the coconut farmers the M.L.A has requested the Government to waive Rs.1,72,235/- and also drop the action initiated against the officials.

4. Government after careful examination of the request of Sri Naresh Kumar Agarwal (Lallu), Ichapuram – MLA, decided to waive Rs.1,72,235/- excessively paid to the ineligible beneficiaries and drop further action against the officials involved and to withdraw the prosecution accorded vide Memo and G.Os 2nd, 4th, 5th and 6th cited against the following Officials.

- 1.Sri Upendra Ananda Bhaskara Rao,M.R.O (Retd). Ichapuram Mandal (Expired).
- 2.Sri Akaluri Ramesh Kumar Rao, Horticulture Officer,
- 3.Sri Rajam, Sanapala Domburu, Horticulture Sub-Assistant.
- 4.Pedada Simhachalam, Additional Revenue Inspector,
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- 6.Pyla Gurunadha Reddy, VAO, Dharmapuram, Ichapuram Mandal.

5. The Spl.C.S & the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Hyderabad shall take further action accordingly.

6. The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad shall take further necessary action in the matter under intimation to the Government.

(BY ORDER AND IN THE NAME OF THE GOVERNOR OF ANDHRA PRADESH)

G.SUDHIR
PRINCIPAL SECRETARY TO GOVERNMENT

To

The Director General, Anti-Corruption Bureau, Hyderabad
The Spl.C.S & the Chief Commissioner of Land Administration, Hyderabad
The Individuals (through the CCLA, Hyderabad.
The Collector, Srikakulam District.
The A.P.V.C, Hyderabad.

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